



In re Application of:

TORU KOIZUMI

Application No.: 09/678,296

Filed: October 3, 2000

For: SOLID IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE, IMAGE  
PICKUP SYSTEM AND METHOD OF  
DRIVING SOLID IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE

Docket No. 03500.014851.

Examiner: Yogesh K. Aggarwal

Group Art Unit: 2615

Date: February 17, 2005

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment and Request for Continued Examination Transmittal (RCE) in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 7	MINUS	** 33	= 0	x \$25 \$50	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 2	MINUS	*** 4	= 0	x \$100 \$200	\$0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360						\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$0.00

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- Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
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- A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to continued examination on the merits, a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) being submitted herewith, Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows. The specification changes begin at page 2, the changes to the claims are reflected in the listing that begins at page 3, and the Remarks begin at page 7.